

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (This is NOT an Order)		This RFQ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is <input type="checkbox"/> is not a small business set-aside		Page 1 Of 23
1. Request No. DAAE20-01-T-0023	2. Date Issued 2001MAR05	3. Requisition/Purchase Request No. See Schedule	4. Cert For Nat Def. Under BDSA Reg. 2 and/or DMS Reg. 1	Rating DOA5
5A. Issued By TACOM-ROCK ISLAND AMSTA-LC-CSC-B ROCK ISLAND IL 61299-7630			6. Deliver by (Date) See Schedule	
5B. For Information Call: (Name and telephone no.) (No collect calls) PEGGY FRAZIER (309)782-4179 EMAIL: FRAZIERP@RIA.ARMY.MIL			7. Delivery <input type="checkbox"/> FOB Destination <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	
8. To: Name and Address, Including Zip Code			9. Destination (Consignee and address, including Zip Code) See Schedule	
10. Please Furnish Quotations to the Issuing Office in Block 5A On or Before Close of Business (Date) 2001APR05		IMPORTANT: This is a request for information, and quotations furnished are not offers. If you are unable to quote, please indicate on this form and return it to the address in Block 5B. This request does not commit the Government to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of the submission of this quotation or to contract for supplies or services. Supplies are of domestic origin unless otherwise indicated by quoter. Any interpretations and/or certifications attached to this Request for Quotation must be completed by the quoter.		

11. Schedule (Include applicable Federal, State, and local taxes)					
Item Number (a)	Supplies/Services (b)	Quantity (c)	Unit (d)	Unit Price (e)	Amount (f)
	(See Schedule)				
12. Discount For Prompt Payment		a. 10 Calendar Days %	b. 20 Calendar Days %	c. 30 Calendar Days %	d. Calendar Days Number Percentage

NOTE: Additional provisions and representations <input type="checkbox"/> are <input type="checkbox"/> are not attached.					
13. Name and Address of Quoter (Street, City, County, State and Zip Code)		14. Signature of Person Authorized to Sign Quotation		15. Date of Quotation	
		16. Signer			
		a. Name (Type or Print)		b. Telephone Area Code	
		c. Title (Type or Print)		Number	

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
SECTION A - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

ITEM: CONNECTING LINKS FOR M242 GUN
NSN: 3040-01-300-3156
P/N: 12524487

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT AWARD WILL NOT BE MADE BASED ON PRICE ALONE, BUT ON EVALUATION OF PRICE AND PAST PERFORMANCE. PAST PERFORMANCE IS CONSIDERED TO BE MORE IMPORTANT THAN PRICE. SEE NARRATIVE L001 IN SECTION L AND NARRATIVE M001 IN SECTION M OF THIS SOLICITATION.

THE GOVERNMENT MAY REJECT ANY OFFER THAT IS UNREALISTICALLY HIGH OR LOW IN PRICE SINCE THAT INDICATES THAT THE OFFEROR HAS FAILED TO COMPREHEND THE REQUIREMENTS.

*** END OF NARRATIVE A 001 ***

<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
1 HQ, DA	NOTICE TO OFFERORS - USE OF CLASS I OZONE-DEPLETING SUBSTANCES	JUL/1993
(a) In accordance with Section 326 of P.L. 102-484, the Government is prohibited from awarding any contract which includes a specification or standard that requires the use of a Class I ozone-depleting substance (ODS) identified in Section 602(a) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 7671a(a), or that can be met only through the use of such a substance unless such use has been approved, on an individual basis, by a senior acquisition official who determines that there is no suitable substitute available.		
(b) To comply with this statute, the Government has conducted a best efforts screening of the specifications and standards associated with this acquisition to determine whether they contain any ODS requirements. To the extent that ODS requirements were revealed by this review they are identified in Section C with the disposition determined in each case.		
(c) If offerors possess any special knowledge about any other ODSs required directly or indirectly at any level of contract performance, the U.S. Army would appreciate if such information was surfaced to the Contracting Officer for appropriate action. To preclude delay to the procurement, offerors should provide any information in accordance with FAR 52.214-6 or 52.215-14 as soon as possible after release of the solicitation and prior to the submission of offers to the extent practicable. It should be understood that there is no obligation on offerors to comply with this request and that no compensation can be provided for doing so.		

(AA7020)

2 52-201-4501 TACOM-RI	NOTICE ABOUT TACOM-RI OMBUDSMAN	NOV/1995
a. We have an Ombudsman Office here at TACOM-RI. Its purpose is to open another channel of communication with TACOM-RI contractors.		
b. If you think that this solicitation:		
1. has inappropriate requirements; or		
2. needs streamlining; or		
3. should be changed		
you should first contact the buyer or the Procurement Contracting Officer (PCO).		
c. The buyer's name, phone number and address are on the cover page of this solicitation.		
d. If the buyer or PCO doesn't respond to the problem to your satisfaction, or if you want to make comments anonymously, you can contact the Ombudsman Office. The address and phone number are:		
U.S. Army TACOM-RI		

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

AMSTA-CM-AR (OMBUDSMAN)
Rock Island IL 61299-7630
Phone: (309) 782-3223
Electronic Mail Address: AMSTA-CM-AR@ria.army.mil

e. If you contact the Ombudsman, please provide him with the following information:

- (1) TACOM-RI solicitation number;
- (2) Name of PCO;
- (3) Problem description;
- (4) Summary of your discussions with the buyer/PCO.

(End of clause)

(AS7006)

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52.210-4516

COMMERCIAL EQUIVALENT ITEM(S)

JUN/1998

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THE GOVERNMENT HAS A PREFERENCE TO SATISFY ITS NEEDS THROUGH THE ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS. IF YOU KNOW OF ANY COMMERCIAL EQUIVALENT ITEM(S) FOR THOSE LISTED IN THIS SOLICITATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE CONTRACTING OFFICE. INFORMATION PROVIDED WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR FUTURE PROCUREMENTS.

(END OF CLAUSE)

(AS7003)

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52.211-4506

INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY AND FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS

DEC/1997

TACOM-RI

(a) Section I of this document contains DFARS clause 252.211-7005, Substitutions for Military Specifications and Standards, which allows bidders/quoters/offerors to propose Management Council approved Single Process Initiatives (SPIs) in their bids/quotes/offers, in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards cited in this solicitation.

(b) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process under this solicitation shall identify the following for each proposed SPI as required by DFARS 252.211-7005 contained in Section I:

SPI	MILITARY/FEDERAL SPEC/STANDARD	LOCATION OF REQUIREMENT	FACILITY	ACO

(c) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process under this solicitation shall also provide a copy of the Department of Defense acceptance for each SPI process proposed.

(d) In the event an offeror does not identify any SPI in paragraph (b) above, the Government shall conclude that the bidder/quoter/offeror submits its bid/quote/proposal in accordance with the requirements of this solicitation.

(e) The price that is provided by the offeror in the Schedule in Section B will be considered as follows:

(1) If an SPI is identified in paragraph (b) above, the Government will presume that the price is predicated on the use of the proposed SPI.

(2) If there is no SPI identified in paragraph (b) above, the Government will presume the price is predicated on the requirements as stated in the solicitation.

(f) Bidders/quoters/offerors are cautioned that there is always the possibility that the Government could make a determination at the Head of the Contracting (HCA)/Program Executive Officer (PEO) level that the proposed SPI is not acceptable

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for this procurement. If such a determination is made, and the bid/quote/offer only identifies a price predicated on use of proposed SPI, the bid/quote/offer will be determined nonresponsive. Bidders/quoters/offerors who propose SPI processes are encouraged to provide a price below to reflect their price for the item manufactured in accordance with the requirements as stated in this solicitation to preclude possibly being determined nonresponsive:

CLIN _____	PRICE \$ _____
CLIN _____	PRICE \$ _____
CLIN _____	PRICE \$ _____
CLIN _____	PRICE \$ _____

(End of clause)

(AS7008)

5	52.215-4503 TACOM-RI	NOTICE TO OFFERORS - ELECTRONIC BID/OFFER RESPONSE REQUIRED	APR/1999
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1. In accordance with Management Reform Memorandum (MRM) #2 from the Department of Defense (DoD), all Services are required to eliminate paper from their acquisition process by January 1, 2000 (see information at <http://www.acq.osd.mil/pcipt/>). In order to meet the DoD goal, TACOM has established an interim goal of "paperless" acquisition by 1 June 1999.

2. In response to these mandates, TACOM-RI has established the capability to receive bids, proposals, and quotes electronically. A hotlink from the TACOM-RI Solicitation Page has been activated to fully automate the response process (see <http://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/SOLINFO/index.htm>).

3. IMPORTANT: Bids/proposals/quotes in response to this solicitation are REQUIRED to be submitted in electronic format. Hard copy bids/offers/quotes WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

4. Your attention is drawn to the following clauses in Section L of this solicitation for instructions and additional information:

LS7011, Electronic Bids/Offers - TACOM-RI
(TACOM-RI 52.215-4510)

LS7012, Electronic Award Notice - TACOM-RI
(TACOM-RI 52.215-4511)

(End of clause)

(AS7004)

6	52.233-4503 TACOM-RI	AMC-LEVEL PROTEST PROGRAM	JUN/1998
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(OCTOBER 1996)

If you have complaints about this procurement, it is preferable that you first attempt to resolve those concerns with the responsible contracting officer. However, you can also protest to Headquarters, AMC. The HQ, AMC-Level Protest Program is intended to encourage interested parties to seek resolution of their concerns within AMC as an Alternative Dispute Resolution forum, rather than filing a protest with General Accounting Office or other external forum. Contract award or performance is suspended during the protest to the same extent, and within the same time periods, as if filed at the GAO. The AMC protest decision goal is to resolve protests within 20 working days from filing. To be timely, protests must be filed within the periods specified in FAR 33.103. Send protests (other than protests to the contracting officer) to:

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Name of Offeror or Contractor:

HQ Army Materiel Command
Office of Command Counsel
ATTN: AMCCC-PL
5001 Eisenhower Avenue
Alexandria, VA 22333-0001

Facsimile number (703) 617-4999/5680
Voice Number (703) 617-8176

The AMC-level protest procedures are found at:

http://www.amc.army.mil/amc/command_counsel/protest/protest.html

If Internet access is not available contact the contracting officer or HQ, AMC to obtain the AMC-Level Protest Procedures.

(END OF CLAUSE)

(AS7010)

7 52.246-4538 CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CP) 2 JUN/1998
TACOM-RI

THE U.S. ARMY TANK-AUTOMOTIVE AND ARMAMENTS COMMAND (TACOM) ROCK ISLAND (RI) ACTIVELY PARTICIPATES IN THE CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CP)2.

THE (CP)2 CERTIFICATION PROCESS IDENTIFIES CONTRACTORS COMMITTED TO TOTAL QUALITY, CUSTOMER SATISFACTION, AND CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT OF THEIR DESIGN/DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION PROCESSES. ANY CONTRACTORS WHO HAVE HAD OR ANTICIPATE HAVING CONTRACTS WITH ANY AMC MAJOR SUBORDINATE COMMAND MAY VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATE.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING THE CONTRACT SPECIALIST, OR THE (CP)2 PARTNERSHIP TEAM AT (309) 782-7603.

(END OF CLAUSE)

(AS7502)

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
0001	SUPPLIES OR SERVICES AND PRICES/COSTS				
0001AA	<u>Supplies or Services and Prices/Costs</u> <u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY WITHOUT FIRST ARTICLE/OV</u> NSN: 3040-01-300-3156 NOUN: CONNECTING LINK,RIG FSCM: 19200 PART NR: 12524487 SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified PRON: M111S503M1 PRON AMD: 02 AMS CD: 070011H8GUN <u>Packaging and Marking</u> PACKAGING/PACKING/SPECIFICATIONS: COMMERCIAL PACKAGING UNIT PACK: EA INTERMEDIATE PACK: 001 LEVEL PRESERVATION: Commercial LEVEL PACKING: Commercial <u>Inspection and Acceptance</u> INSPECTION: Origin ACCEPTANCE: Origin <u>Deliveries or Performance</u> DOC SUPPL <u>REL CD MILSTRIP ADDR SIG CD MARK FOR TP CD</u> 001 W52H090234A611 W45G19 J 1 <u>DEL REL CD QUANTITY DAYS AFTER AWARD</u> 001 100 0165 FOB POINT: Destination SHIP TO: <u>PARCEL POST ADDRESS</u> (W45G19) XU W390 RED RIVER MUNITIONS CTR RECEIVING BLDG 499 10 ST AND K AVE TEXARKANA TX 75507-5000	100	EA	\$ _____	\$ _____
0002	<u>Supplies or Services and Prices/Costs</u>				
0002AA	<u>DATA ITEM</u> NOUN: DD FORM 1423 SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified Contractor will prepare and deliver the technical data in accordance with the requirements, quantities and schedules set forth in the Contract Data Requirements Lists (DD Form 1423), Exhibit A. A DD 250 IS NOT REQUIRED. <div style="text-align: center;">(End of narrative B001)</div>		LO	\$ ** NSP **	\$ ** NSP **

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DESCRIPTION/SPECIFICATIONS/WORK STATEMENT

8	52.210-4501 TACOM-RI	DRAWINGS/SPECIFICATION	MAR/1988
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In addition to the drawing(s) and/or specifications listed below, other documents which are part of this procurement and which apply to Preservation/Packaging/Packing and Inspection and Acceptance are contained elsewhere.

The following drawing(s) and specifications are applicable to this procurement.

Drawings and Specifications in accordance with enclosed Technical Data Package Listing - TDPL 12524487- with revisions in effect as of 10/19/99 (except as follows):

SEE SECTION J FOR APPLICABLE ATTACHMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(CS6100)

PACKAGING AND MARKING

9	52.211-4503 TACOM-RI	PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS (COMMERCIAL)	FEB/2000
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a. The preservation, packing, and marking requirements shall be accomplished in accordance with the performance requirements defined herein.

b. The following Packaging requirements shall apply:

Preservation: COMMERCIAL
Level of Packing: COMMERCIAL
Quantity Per Unit Package: 001
Quantity of Unit Packages Per Intermediate Container: SEE PARAGRAPH 3 BELOW.

(1) Packaging - Preservation, packaging, packing, unitization and marking furnished by the supplier shall provide protection for a minimum of one year and meet or exceed the following requirements:

(i) Cleanliness - Items shall be free of dirt and other contaminants which would contribute to the deterioration of the item or which would require cleaning by the customer prior to use. Coatings and preservatives applied to the item for protection are not considered contaminants.

(ii) Preservation - Items susceptible to corrosion of deterioration shall be provided protection such as preservative coatings, volatile corrosion inhibitors, or desiccated unit packs.

(iii) Cushioning - Items requiring protection from physical and mechanical damage (e.g., fragile, sensitive, material critical) or which could cause physical damage to other items, shall be protected by wrapping, cushioning, pack compartmentalization, or other means to mitigate shock and vibration to prevent damage during handling and shipment.

(2) Unit package:

(i) Unit Package - A unit package shall be so designed and constructed that it will contain the contents with no damage to the item(s), and with minimal damage to the unit pack during shipment and storage in the shipping container, and will allow subsequent handling. The outermost component of a unit package shall be a container such as a sealed bag, carton, or box.

(ii) Unit Package Quantity - Unless otherwise specified, the unit package quantity shall be one each part, set assembly, kit, etc.

(3) Intermediate Package:

(i) Intermediate packaging is required whenever the quantity is over one (1) gross of the same national stock number and when such use enhances handling and inventorying, or whenever the exterior surfaces of the unit pack is a bag of any type, regardless of the size, or whenever the unit pack is less than 64 cubic inches, or when the weight of the unit pack is under five (5) pounds and no dimension is over twelve (12) inches. Intermediate containers shall be limited to a maximum of 100 unit packs, a net load of 40 pounds, or a maximum volume of 1.5 cubic feet, whichever occurs first.

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(4) Packing:

(i) Unit packages and intermediate packages not meeting the requirements for a shipping container shall be packed in shipping containers. All shipping containers shall be the most cost effective and shall be of minimum cube to contain and protect the items.

(ii) Shipping Containers - The shipping container (including any necessary blocking, bracing, cushioning, or waterproofing) shall comply with the regulations of the carrier used and shall provide safe delivery to the destination at the lowest tariff cost. The shipping container shall be capable of multiple handling, stacking at least ten feet high, and storage under favorable conditions (such as enclosed facilities) for a minimum of one year.

c. Unitization: Shipments of identical items going to the same destination shall be palletized if they have a total cubic displacement of 50 cubic feet or more unless skids or other forklift handling features are included on the containers. Pallet loads must be stable, and to the greatest extent possible, provide a level top for ease of stacking. A palletized load shall not exceed 4,000 pounds and should not exceed 52 inches in length or width, or 54 inches in height. The load shall be contained in a manner that will permit safe handling during shipment and storage.

d. Marking: All unit packages, intermediate packs, exterior shipping containers, and as applicable, unitized loads shall be marked in accordance with MIL-STD-129, Revision N, Date 15 MAY 97, including bar coding, see AIM-BC1, Uniform Symbology Specification (USS)-39, Document Number X5-2. The contractor is responsible for application of special markings as discussed in the Military Standard regardless of whether specified in the contract or not. Special markings include, but are not limited to, shelf-life markings, structural markings, and transportation special handling markings. The marking of pilferable and sensitive material will not identify the nature of the material.

e. Hazardous Materials: In addition to the general instructions listed above, hazardous materials or items as defined in CFR Title 49 are also subject to all applicable Department of Transportation regulations for packaging/packing, marking, labeling, container certification, and transport as listed in Code of Federal Regulations Title 49, Parts 100-180. If the shipment originates from outside the continental United States, the shipment shall be prepared in accordance with the United Nations recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods in a manner acceptable to the Competent Authority of the nation of origin and in accordance with regulations of all applicable carriers.

f. Quality Assurance: The contractor is responsible for establishing a quality system. Full consideration to examinations, inspections, and tests will be given to ensure the acceptability of the commercial package.

g. SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS: THE SPECIAL PACKAGING INSTRUCTIONS IN THE TECHNICAL DATA PACKAGE MAY BE USED AS REFERENCE.

(End of clause)

(DS6413)

INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

SECTION E - INSPECTION INSTRUCTIONS

INITIAL PRODUCT INSPECTION (IPI) SHALL BE PERFORMED IAW THE IPI CLAUSE AT ATTACHMENT 005.

*** END OF NARRATIVE E 001 ***

This document incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at these addresses:

<http://www.arnet.gov/far/> or www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars

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TACOM-RI ALTERNATE II

(a) As the contractor, you shall implement and maintain a quality system that ensures the functional and physical conformity of all products or services you furnish under this contract. Your quality system shall achieve (1) defect prevention and (2) process control providing adequate quality controls throughout all areas of contract performance. Your quality system shall, at a minimum, comply with the requirements of an ISO 9002 system.

(b) Your quality system may be based on (1) international quality standards such as ISO 9002, or (2) commercial, or (3) national quality standards. NOTE: Systems such as ISO 9003 are unacceptable for this procurement. You represent that your performance under this contract will be in accordance with your quality system, which is in compliance with:

- () ISO 9001
- () ISO 9002
- () QS 9000
- () ANSI/ASQ 9001
- () ANSI/ASQ 9002

(c) Certification of compliance for the quality system you identify above, by an independent standards organization or auditor, is not required.

(d) At any point during contract performance, we have the right to review your quality system to assess its effectiveness in meeting contract requirements.

(End of clause)

(ES7025)

11	52.246-4528	REWORK AND REPAIR OF NONCONFORMING MATERIAL	MAY/1994
	TACOM-RI		

a. Rework and Repair are defined as follows:

(1) Rework - The reprocessing of nonconforming material to make it conform completely to the drawings, specifications or contract requirements.

(2) Repair - The reprocessing of nonconforming material in accordance with approved written procedures and operations to reduce, but not completely eliminate, the nonconformance. The purpose of repair is to bring nonconforming material into a usable condition. Repair is distinguished from rework in that the item after repair still does not completely conform to all of the applicable drawings, specifications or contract requirements.

b. Rework procedures along with the associated inspection procedures shall be documented by the Contractor and submitted to the Government Quality Assurance Representative (QAR) for review prior to implementation. Rework procedures are subject to the QAR's disapproval.

c. Repair procedures shall be documented by the Contractor and submitted on a Request for Deviation/Waiver, to the Contracting Officer for review and written approval prior to implementation.

d. Whenever the Contractor submits a repair or rework procedure for Government review, the submission shall also include a description of the cause for the nonconformances and a description of the action taken or to be taken to prevent recurrence.

e. The rework or repair procedure shall also contain a provision for reinspection which will take precedence over the Technical Data Package requirements and shall, in addition, provide the Government assurance that the reworked or repaired items have met reprocessing requirements.

(End of Clause)

(ES7012)

12	52.246-4531	ACCEPTANCE INSPECTION EQUIPMENT (AIE)	JUN/2000
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(a) The contractor shall use a calibration system with traceability to a national or international standard for the AIE used on this contract.

(b) The contractor shall provide all AIE (except for any AIE listed as available in Section H or Appendix I) necessary to assure conformance of material to the contract requirements.

(c) AIE shall be available for use on the First Article (FA) submission, if FA is required, or prior to use for acceptance of production material on this contract.

(d) Contractor furnished AIE shall be made (i) to the AIE designs specified in Section C, or (ii) to any other design provided the contractor's proposed AIE design is approved by the Government. Contractor's proposed AIE design for inspection of characteristics listed as ''Critical, Special or Major'' shall be submitted to the Government for review and approval as directed on the Contract Data Requirements List, DD Form 1423. Government approval of AIE design shall not be considered to modify the contract requirements.

(e) When the contractor submits it's proposed AIE on commercial off the shelf equipment, the contractor shall include the manufacturer's name, model number, and sufficient information to show capability of the proposed AIE to perform the inspection required. When submitting proposed AIE design documentation on commercial computer controlled test and measuring equipment include information on (1) test program listing (2) flowcharts showing accept and reject limits and computer generated test stimuli (3) calibration program listing (4) sample of the printout of an actual test and calibration (5) test plan to verify accuracy of inspection and correctness of accept or reject decision (6) identification of the equipment by model name and number.

(f) Resubmission of the contractor's proposed AIE design for Government approval on a follow on Government contract is not required, provided the inspection characteristic parameters specified in the technical data package and the previously approved contractor AIE design documentation have not changed. In this situation, the contractor shall provide written correspondence in the place of the AIE design documentation that indicates the prior approval and states that no changes have occurred.

(g) The Government reserves the right to disapprove, at any time during the performance of this contract, any AIE that is not accomplishing its intended use in verifying an inspection or test characteristic.

(End of clause)

(ES7018)

13	52.246-4540	CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CP) 2-2000	MAR/1997
	TACOM-RI		

a. The (CP)2-2000 program is a voluntary program open to all contractors. The program is a unified effort between the Government and the Contractor to confirm the development, use and continuous improvement of quality operations. Implementation and continuous improvement are measured and documented through independent audits and follow on reporting. For more information on the (CP)2-2000 program, please contact the Contracting Officer.

b. The Government will not delay processing of this solicitation to afford any offeror additional time to complete the (CP)2-2000 certification process.

c. You may provide the following information relative to (CP)2-2000 certification:

- (1)____NOT CERTIFIED
- (2)____CERTIFIED
- (i)____DATE OF CERTIFICATION
- (ii)____CERTIFYING ACTIVITY

d. For Contractor facilities currently certified under the (CP)2-2000 program, the following shall apply:

(1) Provided the process is in a state of statistical control and the minimum process performance index of 1.33 is met, the Contractor may eliminate acceptance inspections and acceptance testing for unlisted, minor, and major characteristics and parameters by providing written notice to the Contracting Officer and providing a copy furnished to the Administrative Contracting Officer. The provisions of the "Statistical Process Control (SPC)" clause of this contract still apply for reduction or elimination of acceptance inspection or acceptance testing for characteristics and parameters identified as "critical" or

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"special."

(2) Design approvals for acceptance equipment and test equipment will be waived for unlisted, minor and major characteristics and parameters by providing written notice to the Contracting Officer. The provisions of the "Acceptance Inspection Equipment (AIE)" clause of this contract still apply for acceptance equipment and test equipment design approvals utilized for "critical" or "special" characteristics or parameters.

(3) First Article Test Requirements shall be waived by the Contracting Officer when supplies identical or similar to those called for in the schedule have been previously furnished by the Contractor and have been accepted by the Government.

e. The Government reserves the right to rescind, at no increase in contract price, the rights and benefits granted to the Contractor under this clause if the Contractor's quality performance deteriorates from the level specified within the (CP)2-2000 agreement between the Government and the Contractor.

(End of Clause)

(ES7016)

DELIVERIES OR PERFORMANCE

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(FA7001)

14	52.242-17	GOVERNMENT DELAY OF WORK	APR/1984
15	52.247-34	F.O.B. DESTINATION	JAN/1991
16	52.247-48	F.O.B. DESTINATION - EVIDENCE OF SHIPMENT	FEB/1999
17	52.247-4531 TACOM-RI	COGNIZANT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	MAY/1993

(a) The contract administration office designated at the time of contract award, or the office servicing the point of shipment if subsequently designated by the original office, will be the contact point to which the contractor will:

(1) Submit, as necessary, DD Form 1659, Application for U.S. Government Bill(s) of Lading/Export Traffic Release, in triplicate at least ten days prior to date supplies will be available for shipment;

(2) Obtain shipping instructions as necessary for F.O.B. Destination delivery; and

(3) Furnish necessary information for MILSTRIP/MILSTAMP or other shipment documentation and movement control, including air and water terminal clearances.

(4) For FMS, at least 10 days in advance of actual shipping date the contractor should request verification of "Ship to" and "Notification" address from the appropriate DCMAO.

(b) The contract administration office will provide to the contractor data necessary for shipment marking and freight routing.

(c) The contractor shall not ship directly to a Military air or water port terminal without authorization by the designated point of contact.

(End of Clause)

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SPECIAL CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS
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<http://www.arnet.gov/far/> or www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars

If the clause requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the clause title.
(HA7001)

18	52.246-4500	MATERIAL INSPECTION & RECEIVING REPORTS (DD FORM 250)	MAY/2000
	TACOM-RI		

(a) Material Inspection and Receiving Report(s) (DD Form 250), are required to be prepared and furnished to the Government under the clause of this contract entitled 'Material Inspection and Receiving Report'. Distribution of reports to the Purchasing Office (in accordance with DoD FAR Supplement Appendix F) shall be accomplished electronically.

(b) Two copies of the DD Form 250 are required to be submitted to the Purchasing Office. To satisfy this submission requirement electronically, the completed documents may be transmitted via electronic mail, or data fax. The electronic mail addresses for submission are frazierp@ria.army.mil and AMSTA-LC-CTRL@ria.army.mil. The data fax numbers for submission are (309) 782-6346 (ATTN: Peggy Frazier) and (309) 782-1338 (ATTN: Nancy Fraser).

(c) Any additional copies required in accordance with Appendix F may be submitted to the addresses identified below via the U. S. Postal Service:

(1) The FMS/MAP copies may be submitted to:
N/A

(End of Clause)

(HS6510)

19	52.239-4500	YEAR 2000 (Y2K) COMPLIANCE	NOV/1998
	TACOM-RI		

a. In the event that this contract calls for the delivery of any data processing hardware, software and/or firmware (to be referred to as information technology), such deliverables shall be required to perform accurate date/time processing involving dates subsequent to December 31, 1999. The information technology shall by Year 2000 compliant upon delivery.

b. Definition. Year 2000 compliant means information technology that accurately processes date/time data (including, but not limited to, calculating, comparing, and sequencing) from, into and between the twentieth and twenty-first centuries, and the years 1999 and 2000 and leap year calculations. Furthermore, year 2000 compliant information technology, when used in combination with other information technology properly exchanges date/time data with it.

(End of clause)

(HS7506)

20	52.247-4545	PLACE OF CONTRACT SHIPPING POINT, RAIL INFORMATION	MAY/1993
	TACOM-RI		

The bidder/offeror is to fill in the 'Shipped From' address, if different from 'Place of Performance' indicated elsewhere in this section.

Shipped From:

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

For contracts involving F.O.B. Origin shipments furnish the following rail information:

Does Shipping Point have a private railroad siding? ____ YES ____ NO

If YES, give name of rail carrier serving it: _____

If NO, give name and address of nearest rail freight station and carrier serving it:

Rail Freight Station Name and Address: _____

Serving Carrier: _____

(End of Clause)

(HS7600)

CONTRACT CLAUSES

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(IA7001)

21	52.211-5	MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS	AUG/2000
22	52.211-15	DEFENSE PRIORITY AND ALLOCATION REQUIREMENTS	SEP/1990
23	52.222-19	CHILD LABOR - COOPERATION WITH AUTHORITIES AND REMEDIES	FEB/2001
24	52.222-21	PROHIBITION OF SEGREGATED FACILITIES	FEB/1999
25	52.232-33	PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER - CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION	MAY/1999
26	52.243-1	CHANGES - FIXED PRICE	AUG/1987
27	252.204-7003	CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL WORK PRODUCT DFARS	APR/1992
28	252.225-7001	BUY AMERICAN ACT AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM DFARS	MAR/1998
29	252.225-7009	DUTY-FREE ENTRY--QUALIFYING COUNTRY SUPPLIES (END PRODUCTS AND COMPONENTS)	AUG/2000
30	252.225-7016	RESTRICTION ON ACQUISITION OF BALL AND ROLLER BEARINGS DFARS	DEC/2000
31	252.225-7025	RESTRICTION ON ACQUISITION OF FORGINGS DFARS	JUN/1997
32	252.231-7000	SUPPLEMENTAL COST PRINCIPLES DFARS	DEC/1991
33	252.242-7000	POSTAWARD CONFERENCE DFARS	DEC/1991
34	252.243-7001	PRICING OF CONTRACT MODIFICATIONS DFARS	DEC/1991
35	252.246-7000	MATERIAL INSPECTION AND RECEIVING REPORT DFARS	DEC/1991

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36 52.213-4 TERMS AND CONDITIONS - SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITIONS (OTHER THAN COMMERCIAL ITEMS) MAR/2001

Paragraph (b)(1)(ix) is deleted from this clause.

Information to be inserted in Paragraph (c):

<http://www.arnet.gov/far/>
or
www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars

37 52.215-8 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE - UNIFORM CONTRACT FORMAT OCT/1997

Any inconsistency in this solicitation or contract shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order: (a) the Schedule (excluding the specifications); (b) representations and other instructions; (c) contract clauses; (d) other documents, exhibits, and attachments; and (e) the specifications.

NOTE: The Order of Precedence within the specifications (paragraph (e) above) is: (1) Detailed specifications (including gage designs) for item(s) being procured; (2) Detailed specifications for material or operations; (3) General Specifications for class or items, and (4) General Specifications for class of materials.

(End of Clause)

(IF7003)

38 52.252-6 AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN CLAUSES APR/1984

(a) The use in this solicitation or contract of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation or contract of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the name of the regulation.

(End of clause)

(IF7016)

39 252.211-7005 SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY OR FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS AUG/2000
DFARS

(a) Definition. 'SPI process,' as used in this clause, means a management or manufacturing process that has been accepted previously by the department of defense under the Single Process Initiative (SPI) for use in lieu of specific military or Federal specification or standard at specific facilities. Under SPI, these processes are reviewed and accepted by a Management Council, which includes representatives from the Defense Contract Management Agency, the Defense Contract Audit Agency, and the military departments.

(b) Offerors are encouraged to propose SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards cited in the solicitation. A listing of SPI process accepted at specific facilities is available via the Internet in PDF format at http://www.dcmc.hq.dla.mil/dcmc_o/oc/spi/files/dbreport/files/modified.pdf and in Excel format at http://www.dcmc.hq.dla.mil/dcmc_o/oc/spi/files/dbreport/files/modified.xls.

(c) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standard cited in the solicitation shall--

(1) Identify the specific military or Federal specification or standard for which the SPI process has been accepted,

(2) identify each facility at which the offeror proposed to use the specific SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standards cited in the solicitation;

(3) Identify the contract line items, subline items, components, or elements affected by the SPI process; and

(4) If the proposed SPI process has been accepted at the facility at which it is proposed for use, but is not yet listed at the Internet site specified in paragraph (b) of this clause, submit documentation of Department of Defense acceptance of the SPI process.

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(d) Absent a determination that an SPI process is not acceptable for this procurement, the Contractor shall use the following SPI processes in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standards:

(Offeror insert information for each SPI process)

SPI Process:_____

Facility: _____

Military or Federal Specification or Standard: _____

Affected Contract Line Item Number, Subline Item Number, Component, or Element: _____

(e) If a prospective offeror wishes to obtain, prior to the time specified for receipt of offers, verification that an SPI process is lan acceptable replacement for military or Federal specifications or standards required by the solicitation, the prospective offeror -

(1) May submit the information required by paragraph (d) of this clause to the Contracting Officer prior to submission of an offer;but

(2) Must submit the information to the Contracting Officer at least 10 working days prior to the date specified for receipt of offers.

(End of Clause)

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Attachment 004	LIST OF ADDRESSES		001	
Attachment 005	INSTRUCTIONS - INITIAL PRODUCT INSPECTION		001	

The following documents are hereby attached by reference and form a part of this acquisition. These documents are available in electronic format on the internet at <http://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/SOLINFO/index.htm>. Vendors should ensure that they have the correct revisions in their possession prior to submitting a bid proposal/quote.

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Attachment 3A	AMCCOM Form 71-R	01OCT88	2 Pgs
Attachment 4A	Guidance on Document of Contractor Data Requirements List (CDRL)		2 Pgs
Attachment 5A	Disclosure of Lobbying Activities (SF-LLL)		3 Pgs

(End of Clause)

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REPRESENTATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS, AND OTHER STATEMENTS OF OFFERORS
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(KA7001)

40	52.204-6	DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER	JUN/1999
41	52.219-1	SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REPRESENTATIONS, ALTERNATE I & II	MAR/2001

(a)(1) The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 332999.

(2) The small business size standard is 1,000.

(3) The small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, other than on a construction or service contract, but which proposes to furnish a product which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.

(b) Representations. (1) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it____is,____is not a small business concern.

(2) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it____is,____is not a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.

(3) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it____is,____is not a women-owned small business concern.

(4) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that -

(i) it
____is
____is not
a veteran-owned small business concern.

(5) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (b)(4) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it
____is
____is not
a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.

(6) (Complete only if offeror represented itself as small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision). The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that -

(i) it
____is
____is not
a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material change in ownership and control, principal place, or HUBZone employee percentage has occurred since it was certified by the Small Business Administration in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and

(ii) it
____is
____is not
a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representations in paragraph (b)(4)(i) of this provision is accurate for the HUBZone small business concern, or concerns that are participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or name of the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint

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venture:_____.] Each HUBZone small business concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the HUBZone representation.

(7) (Complete if the offeror represented itself as disadvantaged in paragraph (b)(2) of this provision). [The offeror shall check the category in which its ownership falls]:

- _____ Black American.
- _____ Hispanic American.
- _____ Native American (American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians).
- _____ Asian-Pacific American) persons with origins from Burma, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei, Japan, China, Taiwan, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), Vietnam, Korea, The Philippines, U.S. Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, (Republic of Palau, Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Samoa, Macao, Hong Kong, Fiji,Tonga, Kirbati, Tuvalu, or Naura).
- _____ Subcontinent Asian (Asian-Indian) American (persons with origins from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, the Maldives Islands, or Nepal).
- _____ Individual/concern, other than one of the preceding.

- (c) Definitions. As used in this provision -
 - "Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern" -
 - (1) Means a small business concern -
 - (i) NOT less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans, or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less that 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and
 - (ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans, or, in the case of a veteran with permanent and sever disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.
 - (2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern," as used in this provision, means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and the size standard in paragraph (a) of this provision.

- "Veteran-owned small business concern" means a small business concern -
 - (1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veteran (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and
 - (2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

- "Women-owned small business concern," as used in this provision, means a small business concern--
 - (1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and
 - (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

- (d) Notice. (1) If this solicitation is for supplies and has been set aside, in whole or in part, for small business concerns, then the clause in this solicitation providing notice of the set-aside contains restrictions on the source of the end items to be furnished.
- (2) Under 15 U.S.C. 645(d), any person who misrepresents a firm's status as a small, small disadvantaged, or women-owned small business concern in order to obtain a contract to be awarded under the preference programs established pursuant to sections 8(a), 8(d), 9, or 15 of the Small Business Act or any other provision of Federal law that specifically references section 8(d) for a definition of program eligibility, shall--
 - (i) Be punished by imposition of fine, imprisonment, or both;

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- (ii) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and
- (iii) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Act.

(End of provision)

(KF6013)

42 52.207-4 ECONOMIC PURCHASE QUANTITY - SUPPLIES AUG/1987

(a) Offerors are invited to state an opinion on whether the quantity(ies) of supplies on which bids, proposals or quotes are requested in this solicitation is (are) economically advantageous to the Government.

(b) Each offeror who believes that acquisitions in different quantities would be more advantageous is invited to recommend an economic purchase quantity. If different quantities are recommended, a total and a unit price must be quoted for applicable items. An economic purchase quantity is that quantity at which a significant price break occurs. If there are significant price breaks at different quantity points, this information is desired as well.

OFFEROR RECOMMENDATIONS

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>PRICE QUOTATION</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>

(c) The information requested in this provision is being solicited to avoid acquisitions in disadvantageous quantities and to assist the Government in developing a data base for future acquisitions of these items. However, the Government reserves the right to amend or cancel the solicitation and resolicit with respect to any individual item in the event quotations received and the Government's requirements indicate that different quantities should be acquired.

(End of Provision)

(KF7003)

43 52.222-22 PREVIOUS CONTRACTS AND COMPLIANCE REPORTS FEB/1999

The offeror represents that -

- (a) It () has, () has not participated in a previous contract or subcontract subject to the Equal Opportunity clause of this solicitation;
- (b) It () has, () has not, filed all required compliance reports; and
- (c) Representations indicating submission of required compliance reports, signed by subcontractors, will be obtained before subcontract awards.

(End of Provision)

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44 52.222-25 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION COMPLIANCE APR/1984

The offeror represents that (a) it
 () has developed and has on file,
 () has not developed and does not have on file,
 at each establishment, affirmative action programs required by the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 60-1 and 60-2), or (b) it
 () has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor.

(End of Provision)

(KF7020)

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(LA7001)

45 52.233-2 SERVICE OF PROTEST OCT/1995

(a) Protests, as defined in section 33.101 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, that are filed directly with an agency, and copies of any protests that are filed with the General Accounting Office (GAO) or the General Services Administration Board of Contract Appeals (GSBCA), shall be served on the Contracting Officer (addressed as follows) by obtaining written and dated acknowledgment of receipt from TACOM-ROCK ISLAND, ATTN: AMSTA-LC-CSC-B/ADELAIDE TKATCH, BLDG 110, ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL, ROCK ISLAND IL 61299-7630. A protest to be filed with HQ, AMC, in accordance with the clause in Section A entitled HQ, AMC-Level Protest Program, shall be addressed to: HQ, Army Materiel Command, Office of Command Counsel, ATTN: AMCCC-PL, 5001 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22333-0001. (Facsimile number (703) 617-5680/617-4999.)

(b) The copy of any protest shall be received in the office designated above on the same day a protest is filed with the GSBCA or within one day of filing a protest with the GAO.

(c) In this procurement, you may not protest to the GSBCA because of the nature of the supplies or services being procured.

(End of Provision)

(LF6254)

46 52.252-5 AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN PROVISIONS APR/1984

(a) The use in this solicitation of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of '(DEVIATION)' after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) provision with an authorized deviation is

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indicated by the addition of ''(DEVIATION)'' after the name of the regulation.

(End of Provision)

(LF7015)

47	52.215-4510	ELECTRONIC BIDS/OFFERS	AUG/1999
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1. Bids/offers and Quotes to the government shall be signed by a MEMBER OF THE FIRM AUTHORIZED TO BIND THE COMPANY. This requirement is in accordance with (IAW) Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 4.102.

2. Prior to submission of your bid/offer and quotes, read the latest electronic bid/proposal instructions at web page:

<http://aaisbids.ria.army.mil> and click on the icon for additional information.

3. Assuming that your bid/proposal/quote was transmitted successfully, you will receive the following message:

"A directory for your Cage Code, XXXX was created under Solicitation DAAE20XXXXXXX, and your file was moved to it. If you have any other files to send, use the "Back" arrow on your browser. IF YOU EXPERIENCE ANY PROBLEMS WITH THIS PROCESS, CONTACT THE CONTRACT SPECIALIST LISTED ON THE OPEN SOLICITATION PAGE.
<http://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/Padds_web/index.html>."

If you receive an error message of any type, your bid/proposal/quote was not transmitted and must be resubmitted if you wish it to be considered for award. You may resubmit by repeating the steps for electronic submittal or by data-faxing your bid/proposal/quote to Area Code (309)782-2047.

(End of Provision)

(LS7011)

48	52.215-4511	ELECTRONIC AWARD NOTICE	APR/1999
	TACOM-RI		

a. Any contract awarded as result of this solicitation will be posted to the Internet for downloading and paper copies will not be distributed. This is a material condition of the solicitation and by submission of a bid or proposal, the vendor agrees to accept an electronic award transmitted in the manner described above.

b. Notice of award to the awardee will be issued only via electronic mail. Venders who wish to be notified if they receive an award as a result of this solicitation must provide their electronic mail address in the space provided below. If the vendor fails to provide an electronic mail address, then a separate notice of award will not be provided and it shall be the sole responsibility of the vendor to periodically check the Internet to determine if he/she has received an award. In this event, the vendor's failure to check the Internet and download a copy of the award in a timely manner shall not be an excuse for failure to perform or grounds for a delivery schedule extension.

c. Notice of award to unsuccessful offerors shall be issued only via the Commerce Business Daily, the Internet and electronic mail. Vendors who wish to receive an electronic mail notice if they are unsuccessful must provide an electronic mail address in the space provided below. If the vendor fails to provide an electronic mail address, then a separate notice will not be provided, and it shall be the sole responsibility of the vendor to periodically check the Commerce Business Daily and/or the internet to determine if an award has been made. In this event, the vendor's failure to check the Commerce Business Daily and/or the Internet to determine if an award has been made shall not constitute grounds for an extension of the ten (10) day protest period allow in regulation.

Vendor's Electronic Mail Address:

(End of provision)

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SECTION L - INSTRUCTIONS, CONDITIONS, AND NOTICES TO OFFERORS

THE GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO EVALUATE PRICE AND PAST PERFORMANCE FOR THIS AWARD. FOR THIS SOLICITATION, PAST PERFORMANCE IS MORE IMPORTANTANT THAN PRICE. THE OFFEROR IS NOT REQUIRED TO SUBMIT ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. THE GOVERNMENT WILL OBTAIN PAST PERFORMANCE INFORMATION FROM VARIOUS SOURCES SUCH AS A CONTRACTING OFFICER'S KNOWLEDGE OF THE OFFEROR, PREVIOUS CONTRACT HISTORY AND EXPERIENCE, THE PRE-AWARD MONITOR, ETC.

*** END OF NARRATIVE L 001 ***

EVALUATION FACTORS FOR AWARD

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(MA7001)

49	52.215-4507	EVALUATION OF OFFERS	MAR/1988
	TACOM-RI		

An offeror must quote on all items in this solicitation to be eligible for award. All items will be awarded only as a unit. Evaluation of offers will be based, among other factors, upon the total price quoted for all items.

(End of Provision)

(MS7100)

SECTION M - EVALUATION FACTORS FOR AWARD

AWARD WILL NOT BE BASED ON PRICE ALONE, BUT ON AN EVALUATION OF PRICE AND PAST PERFORMANCE. FOR THIS SOLICITATION, PAST PERFORMANCE IS MORE IMPORTANTANT THAN PRICE. THE GOVERNMENT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO AWARD TO OTHER THAN THE LOWEST PRICE RESPONSIVE/RESPONSIBLE OFFEROR. THE GOVERNMENT MAY REJECT ANY PROPOSAL THAT IS UNREALISTICALLY HIGH OR LOW IN PRICE SINCE THAT INDICATES THAT THE OFFEROR HAS FAILED TO COMPREHEND THE REQUIREMENTS.

THE GOVERNMENT WILL EVALUATE PAST PERFORMANCE BASED ON INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES, SUCH AS CONTRACTING AGENCY EXPERIENCE WITH THE OFFEROR, PREVIOUS CONTRACT HISTORY AVAILABLE FROM DCMC, ETC. THE GOVERNMENT DOES NOT ASSUME THE DUTY TO SEARCH FOR DATA TO CURE ANY PROBLEMS IT IDENTIFIES IN THIS PORTION OF THE EVALUATION.

THE GOVERNMENT DOES NOT INTEND TO CONDUCT DISCUSSIONS WITH ANY OFFEROR WITH RESPECT TO THE PAST PERFORMANCE INFORMATION.

*** END OF NARRATIVE M 001 ***